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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Brookline in the County of Hillsborough, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Town, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town officers for the ensuing year.

2. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for the support of the poor, paying the just debts of the Town and all other legal purposes.

3. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for the repair of highways and bridges the ensuing year and say how the same shall be raised and appropriated.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for the support of schools the ensuing year.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for the purpose of purchasing text books and other supplies in compliance with chapter XIII, Laws of 1889.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will raise to meet the necessary expenses of the Brookline Public Library, or take any action relating thereto.

7. To see what action the Town will take in regard to observing Memorial Day, raise or appropriate money for the same, or take any action relating thereto.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will raise for concreting sidewalks, say how the same shall be expended, or act or do anything in relation thereto.

9. To see if the Town will vote to procure a snow plow for sidewalks, raise money for the same, or act or do anything relating thereto.

10. To see if the Town will vote to have the History of the Town printed, raise money for the same or pass any vote relative thereto.

11. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees and other officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D., nineteen hundred and six.

ALPHA A. HALL,
CLARENCE R. RUSSELL,
SAMUEL SWETT,
Selectmen of Brookline.

A true copy—Attest :

ALPHA A. HALL,
CLARENCE R. RUSSELL,
SAMUEL SWETT,
Selectmen of Brookline.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Whole amount of assessments chargeable to the town treasurer, including state, county, town, school and library tax,	$5,395 27	
Savings bank tax,	224 92	
Railroad tax,	3 68	
Literary fund,	60 50	
State school fund,	113 37	
High school tuition,	12 32	
From state for hedgehogs,	1 00	
From county,	33 00	
From Warren D. Shattuck, for board and transporting to county farm,	18 93	
From C. S. Dunbar, for fence pipe sold to C. H. Holcombe and H. S. Corey, 1904,	5 37	
From Fred Campbell, for lot No. 19, South cemetery,	5 00	
J. A. Hall heirs, for taxes and interest abated on W. D. Shattuck's houses on Canal street, and cost,	22 78	
		$5,896 14

Orders drawn to pay bills due previous to March 14, 1905.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid	A. F. Hildreth, printing town reports,	$25 60
	Frank P. Kennedy, member of school board,	20 00
	C. S. Dunbar, snow bill,	12 75
	E. C. Tucker, bounty on hedgehogs,	1 00

Paid	E. C. Tucker, use of hall and ballots,	$2 82	
	E. H. Taft, returning birth,	25	
	Payson Burge, procuring town reports,	1 00	
	Treasurer of Congregational society, care of clock,	15 00	
	L. M. Shattuck, engineer, 1904,	8 00	
	police 1904,	2 00	
	O. D. Fessenden, lumber and work,	2 14	
	M. Rioridion, care one tramp,	50	
			$91 06

Bills paid since March 14, 1905.

TRUSTEES OF CEMETERY.

Paid	trustees,	$44 99	
			$44 99

ROAD AGENT.

Orders to pay Road Agent A. T. Pierce,	$753 64	
Orders to pay Road Agent A. T. Pierce, snow bill,	6 58	
		$760 22

STREET LAMPS.

Paid	Hubert Syre, care street lamps, one year,	$60 00	
	W. E. Corey, for merchandise,	28 38	
	R. E. Tarbell, for merchandise,	28 00	
			$116 38

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid	A. A. Hall, treasurer of engine company,	$183 99	
	Lewis Popple, steward,	10 00	
	Frank L. Willoby, services as engineer,	10 00	

Paid	Henry G. Shattuck, services as engineer,	$8 00	
	L. M. Shattuck, services as engineer,	8 00	
			$219 99

EXPENSE OF WARREN D. SHATTUCK.

Paid	Warren D. Shattuck's board at county farm,	$13 93	
	A. A. Hall, journey to county farm with Warren D. Shattuck,	5 00	
			$18 93
Received	of Warren D. Shattuck,	$18 93	
			$18 93

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid	Alpha A. Hall, 1st selectman,	$60 00	
	Clarence R. Russell, 2nd selectman,	55 00	
	Samuel Swett, 3rd selectman,	55 00	
	Edward C. Tucker, town clerk,	30 00	
	Albert T. Pierce, town treasurer,	40 00	
	Willoby & Tucker, auditors,	5 00	
	Arthur A. Goss, collector,	95 00	
	Ella W. Tucker, member of board of education,	20 00	
	Harry Marshall, member of board of education,	20 00	
	George H. Nye, truant officer,	10 00	
	George H Nye, police officer,	2 00	
	John A. French, police officer,	6 00	
	Linville M. Shattuck, police officer,	2 00	
	Perley L. Pierce, police officer,	2 00	
	Alpha A. Hall, forest fire warden,	3 00	
			$405 00

MONEY FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Paid	town treasurer for schools,	$827 50	
	repairs,	75 00	
	text books,	75 00	
	insurance,	60 00	
	literary fund,	60 50	
	state school fund,	113 37	
			$1,211 37

TUITION OF SCHOLARS.

Paid	school district of Milford, Winter and Spring term 1904–5,	$92 00	
	fall term, 1905,	75 00	
			$167 00

BURIAL OF DEAD.

Paid	C. S. Dunbar, burial 13 persons,	$69 00	
			$69 00

WATERING TROUGHS.

Paid	Mrs. L. P. Peabody to April 1, 1906,	$3 00	
	O. D. Fessenden to Feb. 1, 1906,	2 00	
	G. W. Tarbell from April 1, 1904, to April 1, 1906,	4 00	
			$9 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Edward Clark, poll tax 1903, not liable,	$1 87	
Jerry Mcarthey, poll tax 1903,	1 87	
Interest on same,	82	
Nelson G. Hoyt, poll tax 1904,	1 64	
Interest on same,	19	
Ernest W. Nye, poll tax 1905, not liable,	1 85	
Hubert Syre, poll tax 1905, not liable,	1 85	
Patrick Shaughnessy, 1905, not liable,	1 85	
Interest on same,	12	
		$12 06

MEMORIAL DAY.

Paid	committee,	$11 50	
			$11 50

TOWN LIBRARY.

Paid	trustees,	$50 00	
			$50 00

OLD HOME WEEK.

Paid	committee,	$50 00	
			$50 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid	treasurer of fire department, extra appropriation,	$40 00	
			$40 00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid	board of health,	$5 00	
			$5 00

COUNTY BILLS.

Paid	C. H. Holcombe, medical attendance on Augustus Wright,	$7 00	
	R. E. Tarbell, merchandise furnished Augustus Wright,	21 00	
	Samuel Swett, taking Augustus Wright to county farm,	5 00	
			$33 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid	Edson C. Eastman, tax book,	$1 43	
	A. A. Hall, paid for printing, posting and express on bicycle notices,	3 00	
	A. A. Hall, journey to Nashua and car fare,	2 00	
	H. H. Barber for carpet for use in cemetery,	15 75	

Paid	J. E. Boutelle, taking hearse to Milford and getting the same,	$4 25
	W. H. Pritchard, painting hearse and repairs,	22 25
	John Wright, mowing and raking West cemetery,	6 00
	Board of education, for funnel and zinc for library,	1 00
	E. C. Tucker, returning marriages, births and deaths to vital statistic department from 1748 to 1877,	67 30
	A. A. Hall, time and expense to Nashua to settle with county commissioners,	2 25
	E. R. Pierce, for grade and labor near Congregational church,	1 25
	Hall and Swett, preambulating line between Brookline and Mason,	4 00
	Harry Marshall, flag for school house,	3 15
	A. A. Hall, for painting notice and posting same for closing road,	1 00
	C. H. Holcombe, returning births and deaths,	5 25
	George A. Bennett, returning marriages,	1 50
	E. E. Parker for council,	10 00
	J. A. Hall estate, housing hearse,	8 00
	G. W. Bridges, telephone and justice service,	90
	H. W. Campbell, care of town house to March 1, 1906,	1 50
	A. A. Hall, stamps, stationery etc.,	4 00
	E. C. Tucker, returning marriages, births and deaths to state,	6 45
	A. A. Goss, discount on taxes,	51 16

Paid	C. M. Buck, care of 21 tramps,	$10 50	
			$233 89

PAID NOTES.

Paid	Albert W. Corey note,	$500 00	
	Alpha A. Hall note,	250 00	
			$750 00

RECAPITULATION.

Last annual assessment,	$5,395 27	
Savings bank tax,	224 92	
Railroad tax,	3 68	
Literary fund,	60 50	
State school fund,	113 37	
High school tuition,	12 32	
From state for hedgehogs,	1 00	
From county,	33 00	
From Warren D. Shattuck for board and transporting to county farm,	18 93	
From C. S. Dunbar, for fence pipe sold to C. H. Holcombe and H. S. Corey, 1904,	5 37	
From Fred Campbell, for lot No 19, South cemetery,	5 00	
From J. A. Hall heirs, for taxes and interest abated on W. D. Shattuck houses on Canal street, and cost,	22 78	
		$5,896 14

Paid	bills due March 14, 1905,	$91 06
	trustees of cemetery,	44 99
	road agent,	760 22
	street lamps,	116 38
	fire department,	219 99
	on account W. D. Shattuck,	18 93
	town officers,	405 00
	money for school purposes,	1,211 37
	tuition of scholars,	167 00
	burial of dead,	69 00

Paid	watering troughs,	$9 00	
	abatement of taxes,	12 06	
	Memorial day,	11 50	
	town library,	50 00	
	Old Home week,	50 00	
	fire department,	40 00	
	board of health,	5 00	
	county bills,	33 00	
	miscellaneous,	233 89	
	notes,	750 00	
	state tax,	412 25	
	county tax,	527 87	
			$5,238 51

Leaving a balance in favor of the town, $657 53

ALPHA A. HALL,
CLARENCE R. RUSSELL,
SAMUEL SWETT,
Selectmen.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Received of former treasurer,	$248 26	
selectmen from W. D. Shattuck,	18 93	
selectmen for lot in South cemetery,	5 00	
selectmen for fence pipe sold by C. S. Dunbar,	5 37	
selectmen from county,	33 00	
bounty on hedgehogs,	1 00	
railroad tax,	3 68	
savings bank tax,	224 92	
literary fund,	60 50	
proportion of school fund,	113 37	
high school tuition,	12 32	
of A. A. Goss, collector 1903, tax,	3 81	
A. A. Goss, collector 1904, tax,	69 75	
A. A. Goss, collector 1905 tax,	5,327 87	
selectmen taxes, interest and cost abated, A. A. Goss, 1904,	22 78	
		$6,150 56

Paid state tax,	$412 25	
county tax,	527 87	
school district,	1,037 50	
Old Home Week committee,	50 00	
trustees of library,	50 00	
fire department,	40 00	
Albert W. Corey's note and interest to Dec. 15, 1905,	516 67	

Paid Alpha A. Hall note and interest to Dec. 15, 1905,	$258 33	
orders of selectmen,	2,370 89	
Cash on hand,	887 05	
		$6,150 56

Financial standing of the town of Brookline for the year ending Feb. 15, 1906.

Cash in treasury,	$887 05	
Due from collector Goss, 1903 tax and interest to Feb. 15, 1906,	2 62	
Due from collector Goss, 1904 tax and interest to Feb. 15, 1906,	1 64	
Due from collector Goss, 1905 tax to Dec. 1 1905,	67 40	
Leaving a balance against the town of	229 65	
		$1,188 36

Of this amount there has been set aside for permanent repair of highways,	$424 50	
The town is indebted as follows:		
Tucker legacy,	$500 00	
Brooks legacy,	288 36	
Parker legacy,	300 00	
Gilson legacy,	100 00	
		$1,188 36

ALBERT T. PIERCE, Town Treasurer.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Received of town treasurer,			$753 64

BILLS PAID IN MARCH.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, 5 days, 7 hours,	$11 40	
	A. T. Pierce, with horse 4 hours,	1 60	
	Edward R. Pierce, 3 hours,	45	
			$13 45

BILLS PAID IN APRIL.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, 11 days, 9½ hours,	$23 90	
	Delbert Porter, team, 3 days, 9 hours,	12 00	
	John French, 7 days, 9 hours,	11 85	
	Samuel Fuller, 6 days, 4 hours,	9 60	
	Harry Gilson, 3 days, 9 hours,	5 85	
	William Bonner, 5 days, 2½ hours,	7 87	
	A. T. Pierce, team, 12½ days,	50 00	
	Frank E. Kilduff, 2 days, 6 hours,	3 90	
	Archie Wright, 3 days,	4 50	
	Ralph Perkins, 5 days,	7 50	
	Henry G. Shattuck, team, 3 days,	12 00	
			$148 97

BILLS PAID IN MAY.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, 17 days, 7½ hours,	$35 50	
	A. T. Pierce, team, 11 days, 3 hours,	45 20	
	A. T. Pierce, 2 horses, 8 days,	20 00	
	Samuel Fuller, 13 days, 4 hours,	20 10	
	Delbert Porter, team, 5 days,	20 00	
	William Hughes, 4 days,	6 00	
	George H. Nye, 2½ days,	3 75	
	Clark Barnaby, 2 days,	3 00	

Paid	Ralph Perkins, 4 days,	$6 00	
	Archie Wright, 6 days, 3 hours,	9 45	
	F. G. Hobart, repairing road scraper,	50	
	H. H. Barber, repairing fountain,	8 86	
	Walter E. Corey, 3 rakes,	1 50	
	spikes,	32	
	nails,	08	
	Samuel Swett, for 18 loads of loam,	1 80	
	Edward C. Tucker, 26 loads of loam,	2 60	
	O. D. Fessenden, 20 loads of loam,	2 00	
	W. B. Rockwood, 42 loads of loam,	4 20	
	J. Hadlock, castings for road scraper,	1 50	
			$192 36

BILLS PAID IN JUNE.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, 17½ days,	$35 00
	E. Adams, with team, 1½ days,	6 00
	Thomas Ross, 1 day, 3¾ hours,	2 06
	Archie Wright, 3 days,	4 50
	John French, 5 days, 1¾ hours,	7 76
	Ralph Perkins, 1 hour,	15
	William Hughes, 9 days, 8 hours,	14 70
	A. T. Pierce, 17½ days with team,	70 00
	Willis Ball, ½ day,	75
	Duffy Jr., 1 day, 7½ hours,	2 62½
	William Farnsworth, 8 hours,	1 20
	Leroy Putman, ½ day,	75
	Henry G. Shattuck, with team, 1 day,	4 00
	George Betterley, horse and cart, 1 day,	2 50
	George H. Nye, 7½ hours,	1 12½
	Samuel Fuller, 5½ days,	8 25
	A. A. Hall, 9 hours,	1 35

Paid	Fred A. Hall, 7½ hours,	$1 12½	
	William Matthews, 2 hours,	30	
	O. D. Fessenden, for plank and posts,	7 36	
	P. L. Pierce, for chestnut railing and posts,	24 40	
			$195 90½

BILLS PAID IN JULY.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, 5 days, 3 hours,	$10 60	
	with team 2 days, 8 hours,	11 20	
	Edelbert Baldwin, 1 day,	1 50	
	Eldoras Shattuck, 1 day, 3½ hours,	2 02½	
	A. A. Hall, ½ day,	75	
	Fred A. Hall, 9 hours,	1 35	
	William Matthews, 3 hours,	45	
	with horse, 1 hour,	25	
	Samuel Fuller, 1 hour,	15	
	O. D. Fessenden, blacksmith on road machine,	85	
	O. D. Fessenden, for chest, plank,	22 06	
	R. E. Tarbell for spikes,	48	
			$51 66½

BILLS PAID IN AUGUST.

Paid	Samuel Fuller, 7 days,	$10 50	
	John French, 12 hours,	1 80	
	A. T. Pierce, 9 days, 8 hours,	19 60	
	self and horse, 6½ hours,	2 50	
	E. L. Baldwin, 13½ hours,	2 02½	
	A. A. Hall, ½ day,	75	
	Fred A. Hall, 4 days,	6 00	
	A. T. Pierce, 6 days with team,	24 00	
	R. E. Tarbell, spikes and nails,	70	
			$67 87½

BILLS PAID IN SEPTEMBER.

Paid	Samuel Fuller, 2 days, 1 hour,	$3 15	
	A. T. Pierce, with team 2 days,	8 00	
	3 days, 6 hours,	7 20	
	P. L. Pierce, for posts and lumber,	14 10	
			$32 45

BILLS PAID IN OCTOBER.

Paid	Herbert Rockwood, 1 day,	$1 50	
	A. L. Pierce, with team, 2 days, 8 hours,	11 20	
	A. T. Pierce, 1 day, 8 hours,	3 60	
	O. D. Fessenden, irons for fountain,	40	
	C. H. Burnham, 1 day,	1 50	
	O. D. Fessenden, chest—plank,	5 48	
			$23 68

BILLS PAID IN NOVEMBER.

Paid	A. T. Pierce, with team, 4 days, 7 hours,	$18 80	
	A. T. Pierce alone, 4 days, 2½ hours,	8 50	
			$27 30

Amount of money raised by the town for highways and bridges,	$504 46	
Received of selectmen above appropriation,	249 18	
Amount expended on highways and bridges,		$753 64

SNOW BILLS.

Paid	Albert T. Pierce, breaking out sidewalks, 3½ hours,	$1 22	
	A. T. Pierce, breaking out roads, 2¾ hours,	96	
	A. T. Pierce, repairing snow plow,	85	

Paid	A. T. Pierce self, 5½ hours,	$1 10	
	and horse, 7 hours,	2 45	
			$6 58

Amount of tools on hand belonging to the town; 1 harrow, 1 scraper, 1 snow plow, 1 mattock, 2 bush scythes, 3 snaths, 3 rakes, 2 lengths of 12 inch tile pipe, 2 lengths of 6 inch tile pipe.

A. T. PIERCE,
Road Agent.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Dr.

To cash on hand,	$0 06	
from town treasurer,	50 00	
cards and fines,	1 76	
		$51 82

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By express,	$1 10	
cleaning library,	2 00	
magazines,	11 40	
insurance,	6 24	
binding 1 doz. books,	3 00	
binding magazines,	3 75	
librarian's service,	15 90	
books,	8 20	
cash on hand,	23	
		$51 82

C. H. HOLCOMBE,
E. C. TUCKER,
ELLA W. TUCKER,
Trustees.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

TRUSTEES' REPORT OF CEMETERY FUNDS

Principal of the J. N. Tucker fund,	$500 00	
J. C. Parker fund,	300 00	
Carrie Brooks fund,	288 36	
Harriet Gilson fund,	100 00	
		$1,188 36

Balance of interest due from town March 1. 1905,	$83 41	
On account of J. N. Tucker fund, 3½ per cent,	17 50	
J. C. Parker fund,	10 50	
Carrie Brooks fund,	10 09	
Harriet Gilson fund,	3 50	
		$125 00

Expended during the year.

Paid John Wright for labor,	$7 80	
John French " "	10 40	
A. A. Hall work and cash paid,	1 29	
John Wright for mowing South cemetery,	24 00	
Samuel Swett for plants and caring for the same,	1 50	
		$44 99

Balance due from town March 1, 1906, $80 01

ALPHA A. HALL,
CLARENCE R. RUSSELL,
SAMUEL SWETT,

Trustees.

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FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Received from town treasurer,		$5 00	
Paid	disinfectants,	$2 50	
	disinfection two houses,	2 00	
	vaccination Florence M. Farwell,	50	
			$5 00

E. P. GERRISH,
C. H. HOLCOMBE,
C. S. DUNBAR,
Board of Health.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

REPORT OF DOG LICENSE MONEY

Cash on hand,	$94 20	
received of E. C. Tucker,	86 60	
		$180 80
Paid treasurer of school district,	$94 20	
A. T. Pierce as constable,	3 00	
two dogs killed,	2 00	
Cash on hand,	81 60	
		$180 80

ALBERT T. PIERCE,
Town Treasurer.

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FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

By cash received from town,		$11 50
Paid for wreaths,	$8 70	
flags and express,	2 80	
		$11 50

G. W. BRIDGES,
J. A. FRENCH,
C. A. GILSON,
Committee.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

While the work of the past school year has been criticised, much good work has been accomplished. "In unity there is strength," consequently the best results are obtained when teachers, parents and scholars unite with a determination to progress. We desire to call the attention of our citizens, to Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of 1899, authorizing a union of school districts for the employment of a superintendent of schools. The sole purpose of this law is to enable the town to raise the standard and increase the efficiency of their public schools. Whenever a district becomes a part of a supervisory district and employs a superintendent, one half of the salary is paid by the state. The only justification of this provision is that supervision by increasing the value of the schools will benefit the whole state. We would suggest that this matter be considered at the school meeting.

ROLL OF HONOR.

THREE TERMS.

Matilla Betterley, Hazel Goss, Forace Hall, Charles R. Hardy.

TWO TERMS.

Harry D. Corey, Exilda Ouillette, Eugene Ouillette, Wilfred Ouillette.

ONE TERM

Mabel M. Popple, Arthur Popple, Alice B. Whitcomb, Ida May Hughes, Mamie Regan, Addlord Ouillette, Gerald A. Shattuck, Mildred A. Gilman, Charles A. Bennett, Wendall Taylor.

HARRY MARSHALL,
ELLA W. TUCKER,
Board of Education.

STATISTICAL SCHOOL REPORT

SCHOOLS	TERMS	TEACHERS	WEEKS	WAGES	PUPILS
Grammar	Spring	Ellen M. Dodge	10	$10.00	20
Grammar	Fall	Nellie L. Wyman	11	$10.00	15
Grammar	Winter	Nellie L. Wyman	9	$10.00	11
V. Primary	Spring	Grace A. Britton	10	$7.00	33
V. Primary	Fall	Hannah A. Boyce	11	$7.00	36
V. Primary	Winter	Hannah A. Boyce	9	$7.00	30
W. Primary	Spring	Grace A. Whitcomb	10	$7.00	17
W. Primary	Fall	Grace A. Whitcomb	11	$7.00	22
W. Primary	Winter	Grace A. Whitcomb	9	$7.00	18
N. Primary	Spring	Elizabeth L. Tarbell	10	$7.00	19
N. Primary	Fall	Rosa D. Alden	10	$7.00	17
N. Primary	Winter	Rosa D. Alden	10	$7.50	14

Number of scholars reported by George H. Nye at the October enumerations, 113, 59 girls, 54 boys.

Whole number of scholars attending school, 111; number in reading, 111; spelling, 111; penmanship, 111; arithmetic, 111; geography, 72; grammar, 50; history, 23; physiology, 30; algebra, 6.

Whole number of visits of school board, 49; parents, citizens and others, 226.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Cash on hand,	$45 78	
Dog money,	94 20	
Received of town treasurer school tax,	827 50	
of town treasurer repairs,	75 00	
of town treasurer text books,	75 00	
of town treasurer insurance,	60 00	
of town treasurer literary fund,	60 50	
of town treasurer state fund,	113 37	
		$1,351 35

Paid teachers,	$935 00	
janitors,	45 00	
supplies,	77 89	
repairs,	74 95	
fuel,	50 00	
incidentals,	13 26	
cleaning schoolhouses,	11 50	
insurance,	60 00	
clerk,	2 00	
treasurer,	5 00	
Cash on hand,	76 75	
		$1,351 35

A. T. PIERCE,
District Treasurer.

We certify that we have examined the above account and find it correct.

FRANK L. WILLOBY,
EDWARD C. TUCKER,
Auditors.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of the town of Brookline in said state, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Grammar School House in said district on Saturday, the seventeenth day of March next at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To choose a clerk, a treasurer, two auditors and all other necessary officers for the year ensuing.

3. To choose one member of the school board for one year, one member for two years and one member for three years.

4. To see what sum of money the district will raise for school purposes.

5. To see what the district will do for repairs of school buildings, raise money or act or do anything relative thereto.

6. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to unite with one or more town districts or special districts to form a supervisory district for the purpose of employing a superintendent of the Public schools therein, under the provisions of Chapter 77, of the Session Laws of New Hampshire, 1899 and raise money to carry such vote into effect.

7. To transact any other business that may lawfully come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Brookline, this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D., nineteen hundred and six.

HARRY MARSHALL,
ELLA W. TUCKER,
Board of Education.

A true copy—Attest:

HARRY MARSHALL,
ELLA W. TUCKER,
Board of Education.

VITAL STATISTICS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKLINE, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1905

MARRIAGES

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence of Each	Age	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Name and Official Stotion of persons by whom married
Mar. 6	Brookline	Walter A. Batchelder	Brookline	39	Teamster	Amherst	Ira A. Bachelder	Danvers, Mass.	Farmer	
		Phoebe J. Perkins	Brookline	27	Housework	Andover	Mary S. Hayden	Amherst	Housewife	Rev. George A. Bennett, Brookline
							Charles Perkins	Wilmot	Section Hand	
							Alice Putney	Wilmot	Housewife	
June 10	Milford	Roland Austin	Brookline	21	Farmer	Brookline	Warren S. Austin	Hollis	Farmer	
		Mrs. Minnie E. Smith	Brookline	21	Housewife	Mont Vernon	Nellie F. Cleveland	Brookline	Housekeeper	Rev. Moody A. Stevens, Milford
							William Alexander	Groton, Mass.	Farmer	
							Alice Johnson	Groton, Mass,	Housewife	
July 18	Brookline	Andrew L. Tasker	Winthrop Beach, Mas	31	Custom Brok'r	Boston, Mass.	William H. Tasker	Dover	Electrician	
		Emma E. Hardwick	Boston, Mass.	22	Stenographer	Merrimack, Mass.	Sarah M. Hayes	Lebanon, Maine	Housewife	Rev. George L. Perin, Brookline, Mass.
							Benjamin Hardwick	Annapolis, N. S.	Carriage Manuf.	
							Georgie M. Foster	Merrimack, Mass	Housewife	
Sept. 20	Brookline	Phineas M. Nutting	Leominster, Mass.	43	Farmer	Graniteville, Mas.	Phineas L. Nutting	Groton, Mass.	Farmer	
		Mrs. Sarah J. Chase	Lunenburg, Mass.	32	Housework	Newcastle, Tyne E	Martha Whitney	Harvard, Mass.	Housewife	Rev. George A. Bennett, Brookline
							John Robson	Hexan, England	Builder	
							Sarah Blackett	Ravensworth, E.	Cook	
Oct. 12	Brookline	Charles A. Gilson	Brookline	58	Farmer	Brookline	Samuel Gilson	Brookline	Stone Mason	
		Mrs. Annie Sweeney	Brookline	43	Housewife	England	Betsy Cram	Littleton, Mass.	Housewife	Rev. George A. Bennett, Brookline
							Matthew Burke	England	Pedler	
							Margaret Barrett	England	Housewife	
Oct. 24	Groton, Mass.	Walter E. Corey	Brookline	23	Merchant	Brookline	Charles N. Corey	Brookline	Merchant	
		Helen B. Lawrence	Pepperell, Mass.	23	Housework	Pepperell, Mass.	Sarah J. Sawtelle	Brookline	Housewife	Rev. Pemberton Cressey Groton, Mass.
							Kirk Lawrence	Pepperell, Mass.	Farmer	
							Julia Kemp	Groton, Mass.	Housewife	
Dec. 25	Brookline	Silas E. Wheeler	Brookline	20	Laborer	Moers Forks, N Y	Carlos J. Wheeler	Bangor, N. Y.	Carpenter	
		Margie I. Burns	Milford	18	Housework	Milford	Lucy Allard	Moers Forks, N Y	Housewife	Rev. George A. Bennett, Brookline
							Willis L. Burns	Nashua	Farmer	
							Amanda Me Dougall	Goffstown	Housewife	

BIRTHS

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Color	Living, Stillb'n	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Frs Age	Mrs Age
Feb. 9	Maud I. Putnam	Female	White	Living	2	Leroy C. Putnam	Mary E. Harwood	Brookline	Laborer	Lyndeboro	Brookline	26	21
Feb. 18	Leroy Oliver Wheeler	Male	"	"	3	Ephraim A. Wheeler	Bessie E. Smith	"	Teamster	Moers, N. Y.	Goffstown	26	21
Mar. 23	Hardy	Female	"	Stilb'n	3	John B. Hardy	Lilla E. Alden	"	Mason	Brookline	Conway, Mass.	53	30
Mar. 12	William George Adams	Male	"	Living	5	Ernest H. Adams	Mary Helen Polk	"	Farmer	Temple	Cambridge, Mass.	31	23
Mar. 18	Joseph J. Regan	Male	"	"	5	Patrick J. Regan	Mary Shea	"	Iceman	Ireland	Ireland	40	36
Apr. 9	Evelyn Louise Whittemore	Female	"	"	2	Lew'lyn Whittemore	Eva S. Rideout	"	Milling	Pepperell, Mass.	Hollis	27	18
May 18	George Holcombe Hill	Male	"	"	4	James Hill	Etta L. Bennett	"	Section Hand	Prince Edward I.	Pepperell, Mass.	27	24
June 2	Clara Ida Whitney	Female	"	"	1	Harry Whitney	Mary A. Kinsman	"	Farmer	Hall's Harbor, N. S.	Lakeville, N. S.	25	26
June 2	Napoleon A. Bean	Male	"	"	1	Napoleon L. Bean	Rosera Bissonette	"	Milling	Three Rivers, Canada	St. John Canada	32	28
June 3	Stella Beulah Pearl Trainor	Female	"	"	4	George J. Trainor	Ethel Frances Leoyd	"	Laborer	Jericho, Vt.	Halifax, N. S.	41	24
June 10	Walter Irving Batchelder	Male	"	"	6	Walter A. Batchelder	Phoebe J. Perkins	"	Farmer	Amherst	Wilmot	39	28
Aug. 29	Paul Vinton Porter	"	"	"	4	Delbert W. Porter	Angie E. Whitney	"	Teamster	Cochituate, Mass.	Nova Scotia	28	28
Dec. 25	Harry Gilman Dodge	"	"	"	5	George L. Dodge	Grace D. Beverley	"	R. R. Engineer	Winchester, Mass.	Concord	34	29
Dec. 28	James Rufus Well Jr.	"	"	"	1	James Rufus Wells	Ethel May Nye	"	Farmer	Nova Scotia	Brookline	25	24

DEATHS

Date	Place of Death	Name	Age Y	Age M	Age D	Place of Birth	Sex	Condition	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace	Cause of Death
Jan. 17	Brookline	Fannie E. French	20			Brookline	F	Married	Housewife	Albert T. Pierce	Ella Baldwin	Brookline	Brookline	Puerperal Septicannia
Jan. 23	"	Mary W. Peterson	88	7	22	Francestown	"	Widow	"	Ebenezer Pettee	Lydia Hall	Francestown	Francestown	La Grippe
Feb. 24	Concord	Nellie L. Bean	35	10	17	Franconia	"	"	Hosiery Mill	James R. Bean	Sarah E. Judd	Franconia	Easton	Tuberculosis
Mar. 2	Brookline	Enoch J. Colburn	74	10	5	Hollis	M	Widower	Farmer	Nathan Colburn	Lydia Jewett	Hollis	Hollis	Apoplexy
Mar. 3	"	Rebecca H. Seaver	89	2		Brookline	F	Married	Housewife	John Hutchinson	Rebecca Shattuck	Pepperell, Mass.		Fracture of Hip
Mar. 18	"	Sarah M. Smith	68	2	11	Goffstown	"	Single	Milliner	Edwin Smith	Sybil Wallace	Medway, Mass.	Townsend, Mass.	Chronic Consumption
Mar. 22	"	Asa Seaver	88	11	10	Brookline	M	Widow	Cooper	Robert Seaver	Hepzibah Gilson	Brookline	Brookline	Urenia
Mar. 23	"	Hardy				"	F			John B. Hardy	Lilla E. Alden	"	Conway, Mass.	Asphyxiation
Apr. 23	"	Jane Keezer	78	7		Chester, N. S.	"	Widow	Housewife	Gideon Hutt	Rachel Broom	Chester, N. S.	Chester, N. S.	Inanition
Apr. 26	"	Nellie Elliott	33	4		Peterboro	"	Married	"	Joseph Creighton	Clara M. Lee	Washington	Stowe, Mass.	Pneumonia
June 18	"	Leonard K. Perkins	81		13	Brookline	M	Single	Farmer	Stephen Perkins	Sally Gilson	Brookline	Fitchburg, Mass.	Heart Syncope
May 25	Lunenburg, Mass	Benjamin Shattuck	74	4	5	"	"	Widower	"	Alpheus Shattuck	Clorinda Wallace	"	Brookline	Tuberculosis
June 21	Pepperell, Mass.	James Henry Hall	77	10	10	"	"	Married	"	Lemuel Hall	Rebecca Shattuck			Apoplexy
July 6	Brookline	Franklin Gilman	81	6	13	Mason	"	Widower	Cooper	Ebenezer Gilman	Mary Nelson	Mason	Bridgewater	Suicide by Hanging
July 22	Roslindale, Mass.	Mabel I. Robinson	37	3	27	Brookline	F	Married	Housewife	P. Warren Gould	A'g'sta Fessenden		Townsend, Mass.	Volvulus of Intestines
Aug. 19	Brookline	George H. Rose Jr.		2	4	Cambridge Ms	M	Single		George H. Rose	Kathrine Murphy	Belmont, Mass.	Port Hood, C. B.	Inanition
Aug. 21	"	James A. Edson	83	4	4	Swanton, Vt.	"	Married	Farmer	Nathan Edson	Almira Austin	Vermont	Swanton, Vt.	Cholera Morbus
Sept. 6	"	Arthur N. Bean		3	3	Brookline	"	Single		Napoleon Bean	Rosera Bissonette	Three Rivers, Ca.	St. John, Canada	Cholera Infantum
Sept. 23	Boston, Mass.	Ellen A. Shattuck	50	4	14	Sullivan	F	Widow	At home	Joseph E. Seward	Lidia Jofts	Sullivan	Townsend, Vt.	Phthesis Pulmonary
Nov. 6	Brookline	Margaret Burke	68	7	13	Ireland	"	"	Housewife	John Barrett	Mary Herbert	Ireland	Ireland	Chronic Bronchitis
Dec. 18	"	Frank H. Randall		1		Weymouth Ms	M			Horace Randall	Phoebe Jenness	Saugus, Mass.	Kingston	Heart Failure
Dec. 24	"	William Page	43		2	Canada	"		Quarry man	Ledger La Page	Mary Cody	Canada	Canada	Acute Alcoholism

The foregoing is a true copy of all the Marriages, Births and Deaths that have been reported to the Town Clerk of Brookline for the year ending Dec. 31, 1905. EDWARD C. TUCKER, Town Clerk

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR, Orville D. Fessenden.

TOWN CLERK, Edward C. Tucker.

SELECTMEN, Alpha A. Hall, Clarence R. Russell, Samuel Swett.

TREASURER, Albert T. Pierce.

TAX COLLECTOR, Arthur A. Goss.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, Harry Marshall, Ella W. Tucker.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY, Charles H. Holcombe, Edward C. Tucker, Ella W. Tucker.

CONSTABLE, Albert T. Pierce.

ROAD AGENT, Albert T. Pierce.

POLICE, George H. Nye, Orville D. Fessenden, Linville M. Shattuck, Patrick J. O'Connell, Perley L. Pierce, John A. French.

ENGINEERS, chief, Frank L. Willoby; assistants, Henry G. Shattuck, Linville M. Shattuck, Charles S. Dunbar.

SEXTON, Charles S. Dunbar,

TREE WARDEN, Charles S. Dunbar.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS, R. Ernest Tarbell, Alpha A. Hall, William S. Brown, Patrick J. O'Connell.

TRUSTEES OF TUCKER, BROOKS, PARKER, AND GILSON FUNDS, Alpha A. Hall, Clarence R. Russell, Samuel Swett.

SURVEYORS, WOOD AND LUMBER, Perley L. Pierce, George M. Rockwood, George H. Nye.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, Arthur A. Goss.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE, George W. Bridges, John A. FRENCH, Charles A. Gilson.

BOARD OF HEALTH, Edward P. Gerrish, Charles H. Holcombe, Charles S. Dunbar.

AUDITORS, Frank L. Willoby, Edward C. Tucker.